

CONVICT NAVY OFFICERS OF FRAUDS IN SERVICE

Seven Men Plead Guilty to Charges Preferred in Courts-Martial Trials.

ACCEPTED VALUABLE PRESENTS

Also Received Many in Return for Which They Gave Reservists Desired Assignments as Relief From Active Duty.

(By Associated Press.)

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Resident Lieutenant Benjamin S. Davis, whose conviction previously had been announced, the men are: Ensigns Paul H. Barker, E. C. Berger and Robert H. Spain, all naval reservists, and Chief Boatswain Lloyd C. Casey, Chief Boatswain Mate Frederick L. Jones and Chief Yeoman Henry S. Jacobs.

The department's statement said the seven men pleaded guilty to charges of having accepted money and valuable assignments or for relief from active duty from reservists for desired assignments or for relief from active duty from the armistice. Barker and Casey were convicted of fraud in connection with the assignment of applicants for promotion.

Ensign Barker was sentenced to be stripped of his insignia of his rank, dismissed from the service and to twelve years' imprisonment. Barker was sentenced to dismissal and three years' imprisonment. Casey, Jones and Jacobs were sentenced to be stripped of their insignia, dismissed and two years' imprisonment. Jones was reduced to the grade of seaman, five years' imprisonment and dishonorable discharge.

On review, the five-year sentence imposed on Jones and Jacobs were reduced by the Navy Department to one year.

The department's statement added that the trial of Ensign Barker, Chief Officer, who appeared to be a principal offender, was set for August 2, and that it was expected that new facts would be developed which would result in other trials.

RECOMMENDS CLEMENCY FOR DISMISSED OFFICER

Chief Sherry Favors Fine of \$150 in Case of Patrolman Taylor.

Chief Sherry announced yesterday that he had recommended clemency in the case of Patrolman M. H. Taylor, who was recently dismissed from the force, but noted an appeal at a trial which Chief Sherry presided. The chief announced that he believed Taylor had decided to fine him \$150 and place him on probation for a period of six months.

He has submitted his decision to Council Mayor, who is expected to appoint M. Deuf, a French engineer, provisional director of the port of Kiel.

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Today and Tonight in Richmond

Colonial Dames Commemorate Tercentenary of First Legislative Assembly in America, Hall of the House of Delegates, 5:30.

Grand Master of Odd Fellows pays official visit to Richmond, L. A. O. F. Hall, Grace and Foushee Streets, 8.

Patriotic Picnic, Cowardin Avenue, 10:30.

West End voters meet, Blinford Junior High School, 8.

Lytle, Audubonville, 3:30, 7:45, 9:30.

The Weather

(Furnished by U. S. Weather Bureau.)

Forecast: Virginia—Fair Wednesday and Thursday, not much change in temperature.

North Carolina—Generally fair Wednesday and Thursday.

Local Temperature Yesterday.

12 noon temperature	81
1 P. M. temperature	82
2 P. M. temperature	83
3 P. M. temperature	84
4 P. M. temperature	85
5 P. M. temperature	86
6 P. M. temperature	87
7 P. M. temperature	88
8 P. M. temperature	89
9 P. M. temperature	90
10 P. M. temperature	91
11 P. M. temperature	92
Normal temperature for this date	82
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Excess yesterday	10
Deficiency since March 1	10
Excess since January 1	10
Temperature, dry bulb 1 P. M.	82
Temperature, wet bulb 1 P. M.	78
Temperature, wet bulb 8 P. M.	80
Temperature, wet bulb 1 P. M.	78
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Relative humidity 1 P. M.	75
Relative humidity 8 P. M.	75
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Local Rainfall.

Rainfall last twenty-four hours	.21
Excess since March 1	7.99
Excess since January 1	6.87

Local Observations at 8 P. M. Yesterday.

Temperature, air	80
Temperature, surface	80
Temperature, 1 mile	80
Temperature, 3 miles	80
Temperature, 5 miles	80
Temperature, 10 miles	80
Temperature, 20 miles	80
Temperature, 30 miles	80
Temperature, 40 miles	80
Temperature, 50 miles	80
Temperature, 60 miles	80
Temperature, 70 miles	80
Temperature, 80 miles	80
Temperature, 90 miles	80
Temperature, 100 miles	80
Temperature, 110 miles	80
Temperature, 120 miles	80
Temperature, 130 miles	80
Temperature, 140 miles	80
Temperature, 150 miles	80
Temperature, 160 miles	80
Temperature, 170 miles	80
Temperature, 180 miles	80
Temperature, 190 miles	80
Temperature, 200 miles	80

CONDITIONS IN IMPORTANT CITIES.

Place	Temp.	High	Low	Weather
Asheville	78	82	74	Cloudy
Atlanta	80	84	76	Cloudy
Baltimore	78	82	74	Cloudy
Boston	78	82	74	Cloudy
Buffalo	78	82	74	Cloudy
Charleston	80	84	76	Cloudy
Chicago	80	84	76	Cloudy
Cincinnati	80	84	76	Cloudy
Cleveland	80	84	76	Cloudy
Dayton	80	84	76	Cloudy
Denver	80	84	76	Cloudy
Des Moines	80	84	76	Cloudy
Detroit	80	84	76	Cloudy
Indianapolis	80	84	76	Cloudy
Jacksonville	80	84	76	Cloudy
Kansas City	80	84	76	Cloudy
Little Rock	80	84	76	Cloudy
Los Angeles	80	84	76	Cloudy
Madison	80	84	76	Cloudy
Memphis	80	84	76	Cloudy
Minneapolis	80	84	76	Cloudy
Mobile	80	84	76	Cloudy
Montgomery	80	84	76	Cloudy
New Orleans	80	84	76	Cloudy
New York	80	84	76	Cloudy
Oakland	80	84	76	Cloudy
Oklahoma	80	84	76	Cloudy
Pittsburgh	80	84	76	Cloudy
Portland	80	84	76	Cloudy
San Francisco	80	84	76	Cloudy
St. Louis	80	84	76	Cloudy
Savannah	80	84	76	Cloudy
Tampa	80	84	76	Cloudy
Washington	80	84	76	Cloudy
Wichita	80	84	76	Cloudy
Wilmington	80	84	76	Cloudy
Worcester	80	84	76	Cloudy

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

JULY 31, 1919.	
Sun rises	4:13
Sun sets	8:19
Morning	7:51
Evening	8:17

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CONTINUES MORAN CASE

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who is representing them, because he desired another justice to sit upon the bench when the trial came about.

Both Dr. Moran and Ethel Cozart, colored, were arrested following testimony given in the trial Monday of Lumpkin on charges of compounding a misdemeanor, in which trial both were principal witnesses for the prosecution. Charles Cozart, colored, was also arrested, charged with being not of good fame, also had his case continued. Justice Crutfield will preside when their cases come up for trial.

Claim Two Privates Escaped.

Reports were received here yesterday that John M. Randolph and Sam Cohen, both privates in the army, had escaped from the stockade at Camp Lee a few days ago and are thought to be hiding in Richmond. Cohen is said to be about twenty-one years of age, while Randolph is about thirty. What they were placed in the stockade for is unknown. Police here have been notified to keep a sharp lookout for them.

Ice Shortage Still Awaits.

DANVILLE, Va., July 29.—The local ice shortage will not be remedied this summer unless cooler weather sets in, according to D. A. Overby, president of the Danville Ice Company, who today said that one of the three local manufacturing plants had had to be abandoned for the rest of the season owing to the general deterioration of its machinery. The remaining two plants can produce seventy-five tons. The demand at present is fully 150 tons a day, and efforts to secure assistance from other cities within reasonable proximity have failed.

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